



FARM NEWS

By Tom Casaday, County Extension Chairman

Sam Paschal was in the office a few days ago to get some soil testing supplies and he has large acreages of Coastal Bermudagrass and Bahiagrass. Paschal is a great believer in Coastal Bermudagrass as a grazing crop and as a hay crop. In fact, more and more folks are anxious to get some Coastal Bermudagrass started.

We can increase beef cattle income this year by treating our pastures as we would cotton and corn and peanut land. For too many years we have neglected to give our pastures fertilizer and other management they need.

Each year during January and February we have some accidents in the Wiregrass, sometimes fatal, caused by tractors tipping over. Farmers like to get right to the end of the rows and sometimes tractors tip over into ditches and gullies. I was talking to Durwood Grimes in the Curtis Community a few days ago and he said that he found it best to waste a little land at the end of the rows rather than taking a chance.

Do you have long branches coming out of your shrubbery throughout the year? If you do, the temptation is to take a knife or something and cut them off with the top of the shrub. Harold Thornhill, a horticultural specialist, says that if you continue to cut the shoots off in this fashion, the shrub will have a tendency to hollow out in the middle and therefore not have a good thick base. He recommends cutting this shoot off near the base of the plant as close to the ground as possible and this will encourage thick growth in the shrub where it is needed.

Several new chemicals are on the market now that will keep grass and most of the weeds out of the garden crops. In fact, gardening ought to be a pleasure in 1967 for folks who have found fighting weeds and grass to be too much of a job. Chemicals are available and can be applied several weeks before planting that will do a marvelous job of keeping your garden free of grass and weeds. We have full information on these at our office and also some new bulletins on gardening in Coffee County. Call us or let us know in some way and we will be glad to send you full information.

Two or three weeks ago I mentioned that the annual Coffee County beef calf show would be held on April 26, but this has been

changed to Friday night, April 21. Plans are to have the show held in Enterprise at night. Dan Presley who is head of the 4-H Club work tells me that about 30 steers will be entered in the show by Coffee County boys and girls. These steers will grade choice and prime by show time.

To reduce the number of dollars you spend for food, compare costs per serving, including between items.

There are reasons why surgeons advise removal of the gallbladder, when these so-called silent stones appear. Patients may remain symptom-free for years and then acute inflammation of the gallbladder may develop. Gallstones are usually associated with the cancer of the gallbladder and this is another reason why surgeons feel it is dangerous to leave these silent gallstones in the gallbladder. It has been aptly stated that old people cannot stand prurient and that patients with gallstones who have eight years or more of life expectancy should submit to surgical removal of the gallbladder.

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bile is altered in composition or does not flow as freely as usual. Then the salts in the bile pass out of solution and collect in small particles, which often grow larger in snowball fashion.

Gallstones may pass through the bile duct, but they often have rough edges and cause severe pain.

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Elba Study Club Meets With Mrs. F.H. Murphree

Members of the Elba Study Club met in the home of Mrs. F. H. Murphree for their January meeting. Mrs. Roy Watkins was co-hostess.

A short social period was enjoyed during which the hostesses served a delicious dessert and hot drink. The president, Mrs. Fox Brunson, called the meeting to order. Mrs. J. M. Kimmey called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting. Reports from officers and standing committees were given.

Gleaners Circle Meets With Mrs. Bozeman

The Gleaners WNU Circle of the Westside Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Welby Bozeman for its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, January 17.

Mrs. James Maddox was in charge of the program entitled "Helping Those Entitled 'Us'". Mrs. Nelson Whitworth assisted with the program.

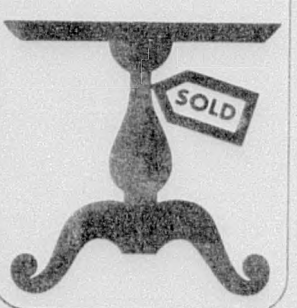
Following the program, Mrs. Whitworth, the president, called a business meeting. The members present voted to take a new project for the coming month. They plan to send Valentine packages to the young people from the church.

There were 11 members present and one guest, Mrs. John Calhoun.

Mrs. Bozeman used red and white to carry out the Valentine theme, and a delicious salad plate was served.

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Elba General Hospital Patients

Persons admitted the following:

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bullard spent three weeks in California during Christmas visiting their son and family, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Bullard's brother, John W. Redoeh, and family. They also visited Silas Redoeh and family, of San Diego, California.

The Bullards also toured in Old Mexico, visited Barbara Park, and attended services in an all glass church located in West.

Minister, they visited Knocks Berrier Farm, Disneyland, and other sites in California. Returning home, they spent one day in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Persons discharged during the same period of time were the following:

Ruben Simmons, Patricia Campbell, Mary McKinney, Jesse Lee, Joy Messick, Shirley Barnes, Judy Scar-

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MIXING COLORS-Mrs. Johnny Johnson, left, is showing Mrs. Roy Bullard how easy it is to mix paints in order to get the desired color for china painting.

Creative Ladies Give Originals For Christmas

Many relatives and friends of two senior citizens in Coffee County received Christmas gifts that were truly original. The rest of their lives.

Mrs. Johnny Johnson and her neighbor, Mrs. Roy Bullard, gave hand painted china as Christmas gifts. This has been going on for several years now to the delight of the gift receivers.

Both ladies have been painting china for 10 years or longer. "I've probably fired at least 2,000 pieces," said Mrs. Bullard.

It takes two or three firings at temperatures of varying degrees to cure the painted designs, some ovens are fired at 1,900 degrees.

"I've painted about 500 pieces," said Mrs. Johnson, who finished one china set for a niece and has completed a set of her own. "It's a wonderful hobby. Really, it's almost a disease," she commented.

"I got started on a piece of china and can't stop until it's finished," said Mrs. Bullard. "It's so self satisfying, it's fascinating and really acts as a tranquilizer for me. Painting china is a perfect hobby on rainy, dreary days when you can't get outside."

The two china enthusiasts said they got interested in painting china and organized a group. At weekly meetings they talk and paint. There's no set length of time for meetings. Sometimes they paint for several hours.

It is not unusual for either to spend a week or more on one china piece. "We usually work in our spare time," added Mrs. Johnson. "Although we do sell some of our pieces, we like the work and figure that the biggest part of our pay is satisfaction."

Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Bullard belong to the Alabama Porcelain Art Club. The club, with 114 members, meets three times a year. Shows are held at this time and members' work is offered for sale.

Trades are also made at these meetings. Mrs. Johnson is secretary and treasurer of the Alabama Porcelain Art Club.

Associate County Extension Chairman Sara Hutchinson thinks china painting is ideal for senior citizens who are looking for a hobby. "I've seen the work Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Bullard are doing and it's just beautiful. I could plaster walls for hours in either house looking at their artwork and enjoying every minute of it."

Mrs. Hutchinson said there are two or three people in Coffee County who teach china painting. Extension agent invites anyone interested to see her or call the county extension office, and she will be glad to give information.

NOTICE CITY PRIVILEGE LICENSES WERE DUE January 1, 1966

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COFFEE NEWS & CHAT

BY SARA HUTCHISON

4-H LAMPS

During the month of January, 4-H Agents, Dan Presley and Virginia Sanders, presented a 4-H Lamp Demonstration to all 4-H Club members. The purpose of this program was to encourage boys and girls to purchase a recommended study lamp. Many of them have already placed their orders with the Agents.

Thus far, 31 lamps have been ordered for the following 4-H'ers: Danny Newton, Tim and Eddie

Brown, Steve Hodges, Karen Green, Debra Ann Helms, Ronald F. Clark, Danny Lewis, Paul Benders, Joe Daugherty, Mickey Donaldson, Mrs. Jane Ezell, Johnny Smith, James Mynard, Jimmy Whigham, Becky Wakefield, Kathy Adams, Ora Allen, Weeks, Dennis Weatherford, Genny Bush, Jeff Barnes, Joe Johnson.

When foods have spattered or spilled on the range it will come off more easily if you wipe immediately. But remember to wipe with a paper towel or dry cloth. A wet cloth could steam burn your fingers or crack the range enamel.

LAUNDRY EQUIPMENT

If you are planning to purchase laundry equipment in the near future, please consider the following points. The most efficient arrangement in the laundry area is one with four centers -- preparation, washing, drying and ironing.

Sergeant Hughes Receives Award

Army Master Sergeant Jesse M. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Hughes, Route 3, Brantley, Alabama, received the Bronze Star Medal during ceremonies at Tan Son Nhut, Vietnam, December 30.

Sergeant Hughes received the award for outstanding service in combat operations against hostile forces in Vietnam from December 1965 to November 1966.

Sergeant Hughes is non-commissioned officer in charge of the Administrative Services Division of the Adjutant General's Company, U. S. Army Vietnam, Tan Son Nhut. He entered the Army in 1953 and was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, before arriving overseas in December 1965. He has received the Army Commendation Medal.

Prosperity Deception

WHEN the President said that the economy was up 17 percent from 1960 to the present, he was referring to hourly rates of pay per person. When he said that profits had gone up 83 percent, he was referring to total profits per dollar of investment.

The two things are not comparable. The hourly compensation should have been compared with the total compensation of all workers in the economy. The two things are not comparable.

Dis- either hourly compensation for employees in comparison with profit-per-dollar of capital employed, or he should have used total compensation for all wage earners in comparison with total profits for all corporations.

In 1960 \$562.5 billion of invested capital was working. In 1965 capital employed in our business undertakings had risen 24 percent to \$714.8 billion. In 1960 the total compensation for employees in the United States was \$20.6 billion, and in 1965 it had risen to \$27.7 billion, or an increase of 34.5 percent. Employee compensation rose 14.6 percent more than invested capital.

During the period in question, hourly wage rates advanced 17 percent, as the President said. In fact, the total compensation for employees in the United States was \$20.6 billion, and in 1965 it had risen to \$27.7 billion, or an increase of 34.5 percent. Employee compensation rose 14.6 percent more than invested capital.

The meeting will open with a thirty-minute general session for everyone. Following will be work groups on Stewardship and the Visitation Program. The meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Cooper, Andalusia, Conference Center, and Director of Stewardship, and The New Curriculum for Adults with Reverend Robert W. Wingard, Reverend A. F. Howington, District Director of Adult Work, and members of the District Committee on a New Day, leading.

Every church should seek to have the Chairman and members of the Commission on Stewardship and Finance and the Chairman and members of the Commission on Education and leaders of Adult Classes along with other elected officials present for this meeting of the Fellowship.

Reverend Don E. Montgomery and the laymen of the Evergreen Methodist

Church are anticipating the third meeting of the District Fellowship, Mr. H. T. (Toby) Lord, District Lay Leader, and Reverend Weldon Gregory, District Superintendent, serve as Chairman and Co-Chairman respectively, of the District Fellowship.

The program emphasizes for this meeting will be "Christian Stewardship and the Every Member Visitation Program." A New Day in Christian Education and the New Curriculum for Adults."

Prices, reaching a record high of \$28 per 100 pounds in 1960, are expected to be somewhat less next year -- about \$20 to \$22 in early spring and strengthening to a summer peak.

More than 40,000 feeders were sold in organized feeder pig sales in 1966 at an average price of about 39 cents a pound. The demand still exceeds the supply," states Danon. "It is the best of the pig production in 1967 is bright."

According to the specialist, the market for pork is right here in the state. Alabama imports almost 50 percent of the pork that its residents consume.

Howard Kershner, Commissioner, Ala. Dep. of Revenue, City Station, New York, N. Y. 10019

Medicare Funds Available To Older Citizens

Older people in this area who have paid doctor bills but have not yet claimed their Medicare doctor bill insurance payments are invited to have their claims checked by the Dohan Social Security Office before they are paid by the patient. The request for payment form or, in a separate receipted bill, Mr. Scott noted that the Medicare claim may be made either by the patient or by the doctor, if he accepts assignment of the insurance. If the doctor applies for the Medicare payment, he bills the patient only for any part of the \$50 deductible that remains to be paid and for 20 percent of the bill over the \$50 deductible.

Under the other method of payment the doctor bills the patient, the patient pays the bill, and then the patient sends the completed request for payment form to the Medicare carrier. A carrier is a company that handles the Medicare claims. The Dohan Social Security Office is located at 100 West Troy Street in the Federal Building. The phone number is 794-3161. The office is open from 9 A.M. to 12 Noon on Saturday from 8:45 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

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Alabama spent 400 years moving from Spanish to space exploration; Alabama Historama on U. S. 90 east of Mobile tells the story in just 30 minutes.

Using color, sound, motion and authentic facts, Historama sweeps visitors from eras of Indian huts, through log cabins, ante-bellum mansions, and depression shacks to ranch style brick homes. Model art captures battles lost by brave outmanned Confederate soldiers. Modern electronics portray primitive Indians and sprawling cotton plantations.

Historama's focal point is a giant relief map measuring 200 square feet. Lights flash on mountains, rivers, trails and cities as narration and music treat historical events. The story of settlement, the birth and death of the Confederacy, Reconstruction, the surge of Steel-City Birmingham, the shift from farm to factory, and Alabama's current cultural, industrial and political progress are all movingly told.

Three showcase dioramas use a similar three-dimensional approach. The Battle of Fort Mims tells the story of the bloodiest massacre on the North American continent. There enraged Creeks stormed a thin-walled fortress and slew over 500 white settlers. Special Historama lights simulate Indian fires and burning buildings.

Confederate and Union ships actually maneuver in the Battle of Mobile Bay where time and technology finally caught up with wooden warships.

The last major land battle of the War Between the States, Spanish Fort, is depicted in a third diorama. Lights expose troop movements as opposing commanders show chess-like strategy.

Thrown in just for fun is a miniature railroad which covers the ten-acre tract as it circles the Historama building. Riding the brightly painted train cars, visitors see the massive Battleship Alabama, a scenic neighbor anchored in the bay just off the causeway. Mobile's skyline, only a mile away, mirrors a city famed for

School Menu For Next Week

The Elba Elementary School announces the following menu for the week of January 30 thru February 3, 1967:

MONDAY: Spaghetti, Tossed Salad, Peanut Butter on Graham Crackers, Apple Pie, Bread, Milk.

TUESDAY: Hamburger on Bun, Sliced Tomato, Dill Pickle and Onion, Baked Beans, Chocolate Pudding, Milk.

WEDNESDAY: Fried Chicken, Rice with Gravy, Garden Peas and Carrots, Applesauce - Cookie, Bread, Milk.

THURSDAY: Chicken Pie, Green Lima Beans, Fruited Jello, Peanut Butter Candy, Bread, Milk.

FRIDAY: Tuna Fish Salad, Potato Chips, Buttered Corn, Strawberry Shortcake, Crackers, Bread, Milk.

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Andrews Named Vice President Future Cars To Water Development Group Have Green Tail Lights

Mr. Henry H. Buckman, President of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, announced recently that Congressman George W. Andrews, representing Alabama's Third District, has been selected as the organization's Vice President for the State of Alabama.

Congressman Andrews has represented the Third District continuously since March 14, 1944.

He is Chairman of the Legislative Subcommittee, and a member of the Department of Defense subcommittee, of the House Appropriations Com-

mittee.

The National Rivers and Harbors Congress was founded in 1901, and for the past 66 years has been the leading national organization for the development of the water resources of the Nation.

In announcing the appointment of Congressman Andrews, President Buckman said: "We are more than delighted that Congressman Andrews has consented to serve as our Vice President for the State of Alabama. Throughout his years of service in the Congress, he has been a staunch friend and supporter of the development

of the water resources of the Nation in general and Alabama in particular. His broad experience, sound judgment, and dedication to our mutual cause will be of outstanding value to our organization."

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BISCUITS 52¢
8 OZ. CAN - 6 PAK CTN.

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